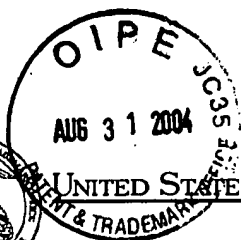


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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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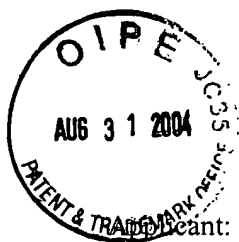
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1. Return copy of Notice to File Corrected Application Papers (Filing Date Granted);
2. Replacement Formal Drawings (11 sheets);
3. Petition for One-Month Extension of Time; and
4. A return postcard.

Also, submitted herewith is a check in the amount of \$110.00 for the extension fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency fees or credit any overpayments associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 08-1394.

Respectfully submitted,

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